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BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

In re Application of: Marin

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in the Polymerization of Olefins

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SUPPLEMENTAL REPLY BRIEF

Appellants submit this Supplemental Reply Brief to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences in response to the Supplemental Examiner's Answer dated November 2, 2007.

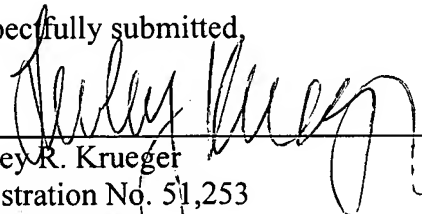
Response to Grounds of Rejection Not on Review

Applicants disagree with Examiner's assertion that the rejection of claim 12 under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) as being anticipated by *Kaufmann* is not under review. Appellants have appealed the rejection of claims 10 and 12 under 35 U.S.C. §102(b) as being anticipated by *Kaufmann*. (See, Reply Brief, Response to Arguments Section I.)

Conclusion

In conclusion, the references of record do not teach, show or suggest a compound wherein A is a cyclopentadienyl group, as recited in pending claim 10. Thus, Appellants respectfully request reversal of the rejection of claims 10 and 12.

Respectfully submitted,



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